

**Public Notice**  
**Submission of Letters of Intent for Competitive**  
**Older American Act Title III and Title VII Services Grant**

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Intent for the Older Americans Act Title III and Title VII Services for the Wyoming Department of Health, Aging Division will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. MDT, April 29, 2010 by the Department of Administration and Information, Purchasing Section, 122 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Herschler Building, Cheyenne, WY 82002. The Letter of Intent shall be on the applicant's official letterhead and include, at a minimum, the name, address, and telephone number of the applicant agency, reference the Aging Division's grant, the type of funding source requested, the proposed types of services to be provided, and the Board chairperson's signature. In addition, Letters of Intent for the Title III-E program shall also include the amount of funding the applicant is requesting for each county the applicant will be providing services.

The following are the funding sources and types of services available during this two year project period:

Title III-B – Supportive Services, including Ombudsman and Legal services;

Title III-C – Nutrition Services:

Subpart 1 – Congregate Nutrition Services

Subpart 2 – Home Delivered Nutrition Services;

Title III-D – Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Programs;

Title III-E – National Family Caregiver Support Program;

Title VII - Ombudsman; and

Title VII - Elder Abuse.

These programs are authorized pursuant to W.S. 9-2-1204. The grant applications will cover the project period of October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2012. Contracts for this two year project period will be issued on an annual basis (Federal FY 10/1 – 9/30), dependent and conditioned upon the federal budget authorization, as well as quality of care provided to clients by the grantee.

The goals of the Title III programs are to focus on enhancing the lives of older people and their caregivers, enabling many older individuals to remain in their homes and communities, thus preventing inappropriate or premature institutionalization.

The Title VII programs focus on carrying out vulnerable elder rights protection activities.

The grant application's CD will be mailed April 30, 2010, upon receipt of the Letter of Intent, by the Department of Administration and Information Purchasing Section. Completed grant applications must be returned to the Department of Administration and Information, Purchasing Section, 122 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Herschler Building, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82202 no later than 2:00 p.m. MDT, June 15, 2010.

DATED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2010.

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